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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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SUBJECT:SUEZ CANAL OPENING

1. U.S. SHIPPING LINES ANXIOUS HAVE LATEST INFORMATION ON RECENTLY ANNOUNCED SUEZ CANAL OPENING. IN PARTICULAR, THEY MOST INTERESTED TO KNOW WHETHER CANAL LIKELY TO BE FULLY OPERATIONAL ON JUNE 5; WHAT DRAFT VESSELS THE CANAL WILL BE ABLE TO ACCOMODATE AT OPENING, AND NEW LEVEL OF TOLLS.

2. DEPARTMENT REALIZES THAT SOME OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION, ESPECIALLY THAT ON THE NEW TOLLS, MAY NOT BE KNOWN UNTIL DATE OF OPENING, BUT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY LATE INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO EMBASSY CAIRO AND UPDATE WHEN ADDITIONAL INFO BECOMES AVAILABLE. KISSINGER

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